

Alaska Local and Regional Information

Workforce Info

Juneau City and Borough



Juneau City and Borough is the largest city in Southeast Alaska and the third largest in the state. It is the state capital and relies heavily on government employment. Juneau is a transportation hub and a regional service center for the area.

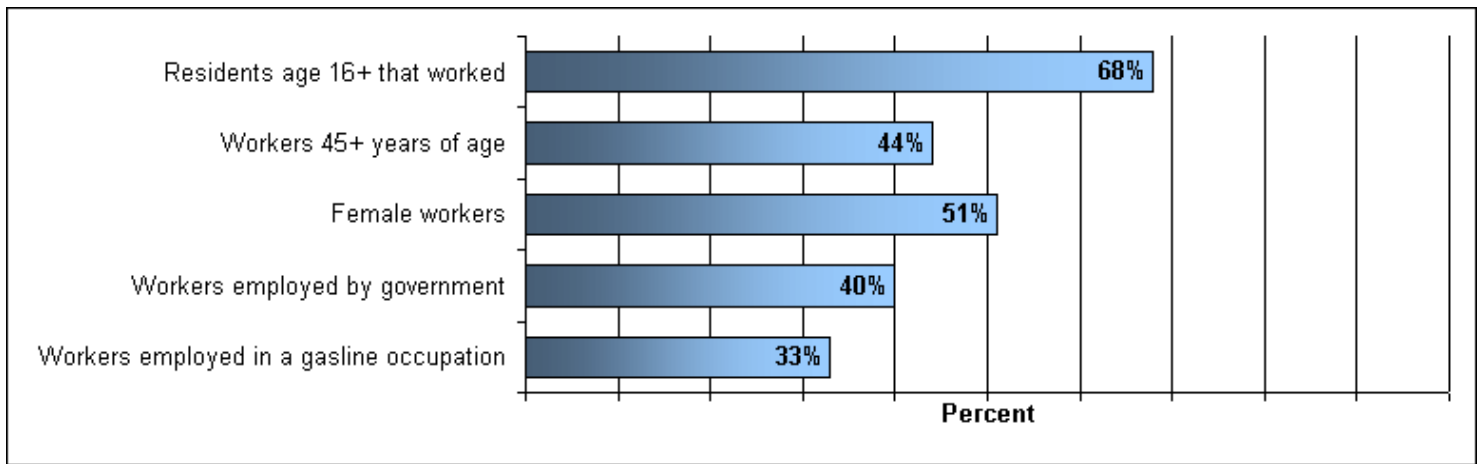
- ◆ The estimated population for 2008 was 30,427, a loss of about 284 since the 2000 Census.
- ◆ About 68 percent of the resident population 16+ years old worked in 2008.
- ◆ State Government was the main industry in 2008, employing 26 percent of the area's workers.
- ◆ More workers were employed as Retail Salespersons than any other occupation.

Please note: There is an important distinction between the local/regional employment data and our "standard" employment series. Most of these data reflect totals for area residents only. Total worker counts may be lower than expected in areas with a large number of nonresident workers. The Alaska Permanent Fund dividend file is used to determine the worker's geographic residence. Only Alaska residents (as defined by PFD application) are included in these totals. Also note that federal employees, the military, and the self-employed are not included in these data.

Juneau City and Borough Resident Snapshot (2008)			
Working Age Residents		Wages	
Residents age 16+	22,822	Total wages	\$561,272,879
Resident Worker Characteristics		Resident Workers by Sector	
Total	15,601	Private	9,312
Male	7,638	State government	4,080
Female	7,950	Local government	2,209
Age 45+	6,842	Quarterly Number of Resident Workers	
Age 50+	4,842	Peak (3rd) quarter workers	14,266
		Percent working all 4 quarters	72.9%
Unemployment		Construction/AGIA Occupation Experience (2004-2008)	
UI Claimants	1,501	Some construction	1,913
		At least 1 year construction	1,203
		At least 2 years construction	839
New Hires		Worked in an AGIA occupation	10,132
New hires	4,896		

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2008 Residents

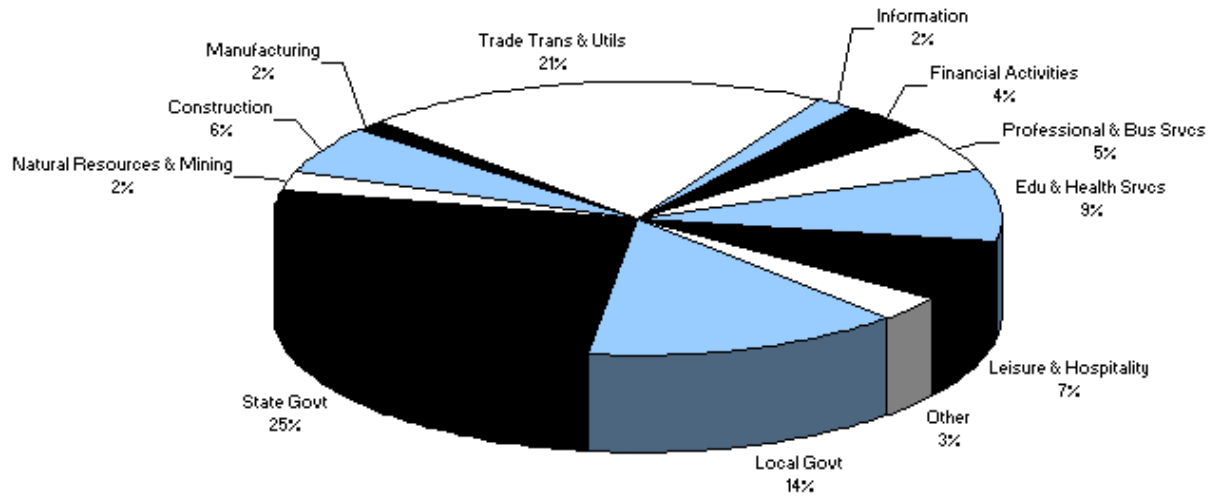


Top Occupations

	Those Who Live in the Borough/Census Area (2008)			Those Who Work in the Borough/Census Area (2007)	
	Number employed	Percent female	Age 50+	% Non-local	% Non-Alaska Residents
Retail Salespersons	631	62.4%	135	5.2%	20.8%
Office Clerks, General AGIA	455	76.9%	125	5.6%	9.0%
Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks AGIA HOT JOB	408	80.9%	124	3.9%	6.2%
Cashiers	327	58.6%	53	6.8%	18.2%
Combined Food Preparation and Serving Workers, Including Fast Food	327	51.4%	26	5.3%	20.6%
Executive Secretaries and Administrative Assistants AGIA HOT JOB	321	85.0%	109	3.2%	6.5%
Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other AGIA	282	77.3%	62	5.7%	18.7%
Construction Laborers AGIA HOT JOB	279	3.9%	58	17.0%	28.1%
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners AGIA	230	15.2%	89	5.4%	12.7%
Accountants and Auditors HOT JOB	228	76.8%	82	0.8%	5.4%
General and Operations Managers	207	34.8%	74	4.5%	14.5%
Administrative Services Managers	206	71.8%	90	4.0%	2.7%
Teacher Assistants	174	83.9%	63	2.1%	5.3%
Registered Nurses HOT JOB	168	92.3%	82	6.2%	17.7%
Computer Programmers AGIA	154	26.6%	64	3.5%	5.8%
First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Office and Administrative Support Workers AGIA	150	72.7%	63	2.3%	4.5%
Stock Clerks and Order Fillers AGIA	147	24.5%	23	6.3%	15.8%
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education HOT JOB	143	83.2%	50	0.0%	3.4%
Receptionists and Information Clerks AGIA	143	88.1%	32	5.3%	14.6%
Sales and Related Workers, All Other	142	32.4%	30	3.8%	27.7%

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Resident Workers by Industry



Workers by Industry

	Those Who Live in the Borough/Census Area (2008)			Those Who Work in the Borough/Census Area (2007)	
	Number employed	Percent female	Age 50+	% Non-local	% Non-Alaska Residents
Natural Resources and Mining	316	15.2%	78	17.0%	36.2%
Construction	867	10.4%	213	13.0%	27.3%
Manufacturing	234	27.9%	48	4.3%	36.4%
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	3,242	41.4%	721	7.1%	21.7%
Information	287	38.9%	74	5.2%	8.7%
Financial Activities	636	57.5%	143	7.3%	10.5%
Professional and Business Services	771	45.5%	224	10.5%	24.3%
Educational and Health Services	1,358	75.4%	428	5.5%	13.1%
Leisure and Hospitality	1,116	51.8%	202	10.1%	31.5%
State Government	4,080	57.2%	1,692	6.1%	5.4%
Local Government	2,209	61.7%	849	4.0%	7.7%
Other	474	58.6%	166	5.8%	16.2%

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Recent Unemployment Statistics

	03/2009	04/2009	05/2009	06/2009
UI Claimants**	911	798	681	603
Unemployment Rate (Not seasonally adjusted)	7.2%	6.1%	5.7%	6.4%

**UI claimants are individuals in this area who had an active claim at any time during the month.

Top Employers (ranked by number of workers)

State of AK (excludes U of A)
Juneau School Dist City of
Juneau City & Borough
Bartlett Regional Hospital
University of AK
Fred Meyer Stores Inc
Wal-Mart Associates Inc
Reach Inc
Southeast Alaska Regional Health Consortium
Hecla Greens Creek Mining Company

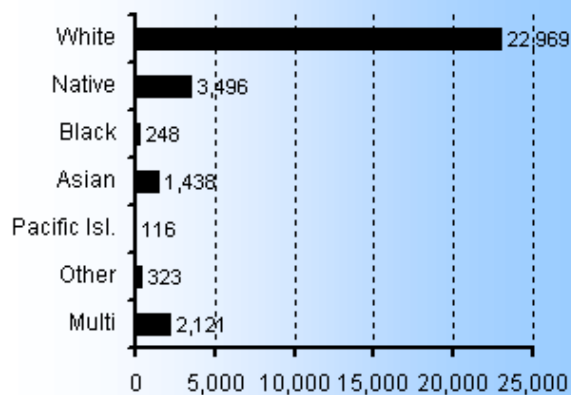
Population over Time



2000 Census

Median Age	35.3
Average Family Size	3.1
Average Household Size	2.6
Per Capita Income	\$26,719
Median Family Income	\$70,284
Median Household Income	\$62,034

Population by Race



(Note: Racial classification is based on self identification. The "Multi" category consists of those who claim to be members of more than one race. The "Native" category includes Alaska Natives and American Indians.)

2008 Rental Costs and Vacancy Rates

	Contract Average	Adjusted Average	Contract Median	Adjusted Median	Vacancy Rate
All Units	\$1,001	\$1,125	\$925	\$1,060	5.5%

Single Family Units

Average All SF Homes	\$1,195	\$1,403			
1 Bedroom	\$836	\$937	\$850	\$900	8.1%
2 Bedrooms	\$1,118	\$1,296	\$1,125	\$1,250	10.7%
3 Bedrooms	\$1,489	\$1,818	\$1,500	\$1,812	6.3%
4 Bedrooms	\$2,127	\$2,492	\$2,100	\$2,555	22.2%

Apartments

Average All Apartments	\$988	\$1,096			
0 Bedrooms	\$668	\$712	\$665	\$713	4.4%
1 Bedroom	\$833	\$906	\$825	\$890	4.7%
2 Bedrooms	\$1,009	\$1,143	\$995	\$1,119	5.2%
3 Bedrooms	\$1,344	\$1,537	\$1,350	\$1,522	5.2%

2008 Type of Energy Used for Rentals

	Heating	Hot Water	Cooking
Natural Gas	n/a	n/a	n/a
Oil	69.1%	46.3%	0.2%
Electric	29.8%	52.2%	97.1%
Other	1.1%	1.5%	2.7%

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section
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